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A FAREWELL RECEPTION

SAYING GOOD BYE TO REV. T. D. GARVIN AND WIFE.

Social at the Christian Church—Musical Program—Fine Numbers—Purse and Several Presents.

The farewell reception tendered T. D. Garvin and wife at the Christian church Wednesday evening assumed the character of a public or community affair rather than that of an ordinary church social. The departing pastor and wife have made a large circle of friends outside the immediate congregation for which they have labored so faithfully and these were out in full force to wish them Godspeed on their journey.

The early evening was taken up in social conversation, after which the following musical program was enjoyed:

Song—A Little Bird Miss Eva Matthews
Song—Be Careful What You Sow Miss Louise Boardman
Duet .. Messrs. Covell and Templeton
Scotch Airs — "Somebody" and "Coming Thro' the Rye"

Miss Clymer was accompanied on the organ by Miss Jennie Denzer, and delighted the audience by a feeling rendition in a rich and thoroughly cultivated mezzo-soprano voice, of the ever popular Scotch ballads. The other singers were accompanied by Miss Nellie Kellogg, a young lady of rare musical ability. Both she and Mr. Covell are recent and valuable additions to the local musical force. The latter has an excellent baritone voice.

Following this program Mr. Garvin was presented with a handsome cane and Mrs. Garvin a set of beautifully wrought white satin pillow shams, an offering of the Chinese Sabbath school class. W. C. Weedon made the presentation. In a few remarks Mr. McCandless presented to Mr. Garvin, on behalf of the congregation, a well filled purse. There were also a number of other gifts from individuals, many of them quite valuable. The presents were acknowledged in graceful terms by the recipients. In addressing those in attendance Mr. Garvin alluded feelingly to the sadness felt by himself and wife on leaving, and to their indebtedness to the community and people at large. He also mentioned appreciatively the courtesy extended him by the press.

The Garvins sailed at noon and will be away about a year.

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AZTEC IN THE REGATTA

THE STEAMSHIP'S DECK WILL BE A FAVORITE POINT.

Band at the Pacific Mail Wharf—Completion of Entries for the Regatta on Saturday.

Capt. Brown, the jolly good master of the steamer Aztec, has consented to the use of his vessel on Saturday and placed the same at the disposal of the Regatta Committee. Mr. Wall has secured 300 chairs for the makai deck. They will be used by ladies and their escorts. In addition to this the Pacific Mail wharf will be open to the public the whole day.

The Hawaiian band will play on the Pacific Mail wharf all of Saturday. In consequence of this Professor Berger states that there will be no concert at Emma Square that afternoon.

Following are the entries complete for the regatta events on Saturday:

First Class Yacht—Helene, entered by W. G. Irwin; Rescue, C. Johnson; Hawaii and Bonnie Dundee, W. L. Wilcox.

Four Oared Shell Race—Healani Yacht and Boat Club, Myrtle Boat Club.

Steamer Bouts Race—Wild Swan, entered by James Spencer; Kinau and Kilanea Hon, Capt. Andrews; Iwalani, Kauai, Ke Au Hou and Waiialeale, Frank Harvey; Lailua, R. M. Fuller. "Six Oar Canoe (paddle)—He Kapu (two), Keiki, Kailua, Keolokiki and "I."

Four Oared Sliding Seat—Pomakalani, by the Healanis; Alf Rodgers, the Myrtles.

Second Class Yacht—Edith L, by the Myrtles; Rose, by Henry Roth; Duhla, T. W. Hobron; Coral Queen, Charles Walker; Pokii, H. Williams; Hokulele, C. W. Macfarlane.

Six Oar Sliding Seat Barge Race—Carl W, by Healanis; Myrtle, by the Myrtles; Alice M, by the Myrtles.

Canoe (sailing)—Keiki, He Kapu (two), Kelioki, Bolabola and Keliokiki.

Whaleboat—U. S. S. Adams, two boats entered by Lieut. Stanworth; Pilot Crew, Pinau.

Two Oared Shore Boat—He Kapu and "Every Time," Elekala; Fair Play, January, San Francisco, Edison and Fat Boy, John Mahuka; Forty-one Apaki, Shoo Fly, Kala; Aloha, Akahi.

Ten Oared Barge—U. S. S. Adams, by Lieut. Stanworth; Aloha, A. G. M. Robertson.

Entries closed at 9 this morning.

BICYCLISTS.

Steamer Information on a Number of Agents and Riders.

W. P. Knapp, the well known bicycle agent of San Francisco, was a through passenger for his home by the Mariposa. He took five kinds of wheels to the Colonies a year ago and made a great success of the venture.

John S. Johnson, Tom Eck and Parsons, the crack Coast wheelmen, will pass through here by the Alameda next Thursday on their way to the Colonies. They are of the party that went to Paris and established such fine records in the capitol of the French. Local cyclists will give them a reception and a trial spin at the park. Ruby Dexter and Dave Crozier will be on the same boat.

ALOHA MARIPOSA.

Large Crowd at the Wharf With Leis and the Band.

The Oceanic wharf presented a lively scene at noon today at the departure of the S. S. Mariposa. A large number of people congregated, the attraction being the departure of the "Trilby" troupe. The band was in attendance and played several airs, including Ben Bolt, till the steamer was well out in the stream. The Trilby combination gathered near the bow as the steamer was moving away and gave three cheers for Professor Berger and three cheers for Honolulu. Each individual member was decorated with leis, Hawaii's parting aloha. In response the band played and the boys sang "Aloha Oe." The Mariposa took a quantity of bananas, but no sugar.

Photograph Gallery

T. P. Severin has taken the photograph gallery opposite Love's bakery on Nuuanu avenue, where he will enter immediately into the work of taking pictures. Mr. Severin has had years of experience at this branch and has always met with success in it.

"TRILBY" AS A PLAY

WITNESSED BY A LARGE HONOLULU AUDIENCE.

Creditable Work of the Palmer Company—Edith Crane and Mr. Reuben Fax—A Superb Svengali.

Trilby: O'Farrell Miss Edith Crane
Svengali Reuben Fax
Madame Vinard .. Miss Jennie Relfarth
Mrs. Bagot Miss Camille Cleveland
Taffy Herbert Carr
The Laird Chas. Canfield
Little Billee Geo. P. Webster
Zou Zou George Trader
Geece E. W. Morrison
Mr. Bagot Frank Skeats

A very representative Honolulu audience gathered at the Military opera house last evening for the presentation of Paul M. Potter's dramatization of Du Maurier's novel, "Trilby." The accommodations in the makeshift theater are not of the best, still all could hear and the ventilation was ample. Many of the ladies in attendance were richly costumed and it is a pity that the level floor reduced the effect of the handsome gowns. Owing to the late arrival of the steamer from the Colonies there was considerable doubt about the engagement. Of the 800 chairs only a few were not used. The play was a genuine treat to those who appreciate an attraction of merit. At times the audience became quite enthusiastic. For most of the evening, however, there was but quiet, keen attention, with the idea of observing closely and missing nothing of the story, action or work of the very capable company. The exceptions in the conduct of a small fraction of the audience detracted a trifle from the finish of the event.

All those in the cast deserve unusual commendation. The players labored under many difficulties. A quantity of scenery brought ashore could not be used. The stage was very small and those upon it were unfamiliar with the acoustic properties of the house.

Miss Crane is a beautiful woman and a finished artist. She as Trilby and Mr. Fax as Svengali carry the burden of the play. Miss Crane's versatility was shown by what was more than a dual character task. As the girl of the Latin Quarter she was to the life. Very powerful was her acting in the "realization" scene, in the interview with "Billee's" mother and at the death. As the hypnotic subject she was wonderful in her carriage and poses. Miss Crane used two very fine dresses.

There could not be much improvement upon the uncanny Svengali of Mr. Fax. He has studied hard. At times the slightest extra motion would have ruined his work, but he was in restraint. Few actors have done so well as does Mr. Fax when Svengali ends in the foyer of the theater.

Mr. Webster's "Little Billee" was not good at all. In fact it was very bad. He did not read his lines well and did not resemble the picture made by Du Maurier. He must be an understudy. The Zou Zou of Mr. Trader was ripe and excellent. Mr. Morrison as Geece won admiration. Messrs. Canfield and Carr, as the companions of "Little Billee" looked as if they might have stepped right from the pages of the book and acted up to their looks. Mr. Skeats was acceptable as Mr. Bagot and Miss Cleveland was equal to her character of the mother of the hero.

Miss Jennie Relfarth, who is known as an actress to many Honolulu people sustained her part with vim and with a fidelity that marked her as a conscientious actress of the first ability.

TRAVELERS.

Charles C. Dickson, ex-manager of the Sydney Herald, and wife were through passengers by the Miowera. Mr. Dickson retired from business about three years ago, since when he and his wife have been traveling abroad. The have visited nearly all countries of the civilized world and are now returning home. Mr. Dickson found several old friends in Honolulu. Mr. A. W. Bolster, the veteran composer, worked in the same office with him for several years.

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REFORM SCHOOL LADS

SUBJECT OF THEIR DISCIPLINE BEING CONSIDERED.

Some Have Been Harshly Treated—The Superintendent Offers Explanation—Investigation to Be Made.

The Commissioners of Education held a meeting Wednesday afternoon at which all the members were present. Minister Cooper presided.

The first matter brought up was that of a complaint against one of the lads at the Reformatory school. Mr. Townsend stated that one Kaiolo, a guard, had plied the lash to a half Chinese boy in such an inhuman manner as to raise a welt on his shoulder. He had investigated the matter and thought the best thing to be done was to dismiss the man.

Superintendent Needham of the school, who was present by invitation, replied to Mr. Townsend. He explained first that the boy, Ah Foo, was an exceedingly tough fellow and had given no end of trouble. Several times it had been found necessary to punish him for gross infraction of the rules. On the last occasion he was detected throwing balls against the house. There were two other boys engaged in the same mischief. Upon their refusal to desist, they were each given a strap by the guard. Though all received the same punishment it seemed that Ah Foo was the only one hurt.

Continuing, Mr. Needham called the attention of the commissioners to the fact that his school is made up of what are presumed to be the worst boys in the country. Most of them he said were raised in the most careless manner and had to be controlled with a firm hand. In such cases corporal punishment was absolutely necessary and there were often instances when it should be soundly administered. It had been found necessary in a few cases to reduce certain ones to bread and water to subjugate them to the rules. Others had been shackled. Sometimes the little toughs would even combine together against the instructors and the guards. An instance of this rebellious character was now before the police authorities.

Mr. Needham considered the action of Kaiolo justifiable under the circumstances and hoped the commissioners would see the matter in the same light. The difficulties under which the officials had at all times to labor in preserving the decorum should be considered. After some general discussion of the subject action on the case was deferred to the next meeting in order that a more thorough investigation may be held. The subject of giving the boys at the school more work was brought up. It was suggested that steady employment would likely curb the rebellious spirits of a few of the tougher lads. Mr. Cooper stated that a move in that direction would at once be made.

Mr. Townsend made an extensive report of expenditures for teachers' salaries and offered a system of gradations to be followed in future. This report was received and will be followed out.

Mr. Scott reported that of the 108 examinations held in August, 71 certificates, 62 primary and 9 grammar grade, had been recommended. It was nearly 6 o'clock when the meeting adjourned.

NEW TRIAL.

The Supreme Court, after reviewing all the evidence in the case of the young man Edward Woodward, which will be remembered, has reached the following decision: "Upon a review of the whole case we think the instruction given was material and did the defendant injury and was erroneous, and a new trial should be ordered, which is done accordingly. The instruction referred to was by Judge Magoon.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Hawaiian—G. F. Nash, B. O. Squier, C. H. Mitchell, New York; A. Chamberlain, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. Weller, Chicago; Mrs. Shepherd, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Robinson; Mrs. Whartenly, Philadelphia; E. C. Shorey, Kohala; J. A. Rodriguez, Paia; Irving Schoen, Hilo; Peter Lee, Volcano House.

Arlington—R. C. L. Perkins, Hawaii; H. C. Austin, Hilo; Hugh Howell, Wailuku; Wm. T. Beale, England, J. Garrety, Boston; J. F. McDermott, Chicago; E. H. Boyer, city.

BORN.

SMITH—In Honolulu, Sept. 16, 1896, to the wife of A. T. Smith, a son.

TALKED TO MR. WHITNEY

A VICTORIA PAPER MAKES COMMENT ON ISLAND AFFAIRS.

Gets Some of the Views of H. M. Whitney—The Governmental Situation—Prospects—A Coming Struggle.

(Victoria, B. C., Times.)

H. M. Whitney, who forty years ago founded the Honolulu Advertiser, is at present in Victoria, awaiting the sailing of the Miowera. Mr. Whitney's residence in the "Paradise of the Pacific" has given him an intimate acquaintance with the political, commercial and social life of the Islands for nearly half a century, during which time they passed through several political crises and changed a native monarchial into a Republican system of government. As to the present political status of the Hawaiian Islands, Mr. Whitney is of the opinion that the new administration is for the present firmly established and that all fear of plotting or scheming on the part of the ex-Queen for restoration is forever at an end. That interesting personality is now living a quiet life, free from any restraint, being at liberty to go and come as she pleases or to leave the islands if she desires to do so. She receives no subsidy from the Government, but is the owner of property in Honolulu which brings her an income of several thousand dollars a year, sufficient for the modest requirements of a dethroned royalty among a people who still retain their primitive tastes and simple habits.

The census of the Islands, now being taken, it is expected will show a population of about 105,000, of which the natives will number from 35,000 to 40,000. The Hawaiians, like all Indian, or native races, are rapidly diminishing in number, and the time can now be calculated when they will have disappeared as a distinctive nationality. The Japanese number 25,000 and are rapidly increasing, there being no legislative or treaty impediment in the way of their coming to the Islands, as is the case in respect to the Chinese. Among the problems that the Republican government will have to solve before many years, the most delicate will be the race question, for it is evident that 30,000 white people, which includes a large number of Portuguese, cannot rule over twice that number of other people, who are not accorded full rights of citizenship, without an occasional more or less serious disturbance provoked by racial antagonisms. Safety for the Islands lies in annexation either to the United States or Great Britain, and until a union of that kind is accomplished the attempt to establish a government in the Hawaiian Islands—on the broad democratic principle of "by the people and for the people"—must still be considered an unsolved problem.

A PAIR OF BULL DOGS.

Capt. Bowers, of the Merchant's Patrol, was accompanied on his travels last night by two fine "bull pups," who made it interesting for the vagrant cats and dogs in the business part of the city. Several exciting foot races were run during the night, one resulting in a "dead heat," (or a dead cat). The dogs were left at the Club stables in charge of the genial night watchman, to await their owner. It was found the animals belonged to James Campbell. They were likely on a still hunt for the missing "Pete."

THOMAS SQUARE.

Following is the program for this evening's concert by the Government Band at Thomas Square at 7:30 o'clock under the direction of Professor Berger:

PART I.

Overture—Zampa Herold
Cavatina—Crown Diamonds Auber
Selection—Maritini Donizetti
Three Hawaiian Songs and Choruses—"Lipolipo," "Malaniai," "Mahina Malamalama."

PART II.

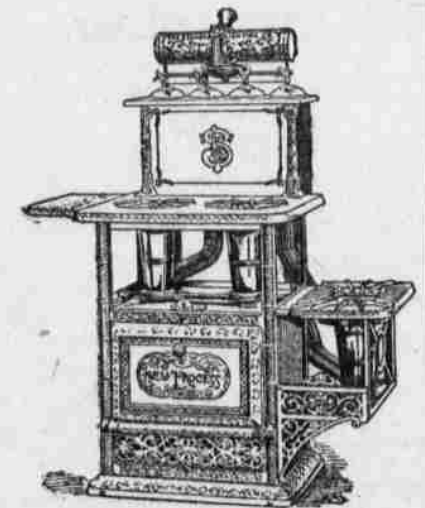
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Fantasia—Liliputians Kohoun
Waltz—Commence the Ball Coote
March—Double Eagle Wagner
Hawaii Pono.

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